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COUNTY DISTRICT—NO. 1.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.
W. F. Telford	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
F. H. Allen	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20
COOL SPRINGS DISTRICT—NO. 2.										
A. N. Brown	21	22	23	24	25	26	27	28	29	30
D. J. Wilson	31									
CENTREVILLE DISTRICT—NO. 3.										
A. C. Coughlin	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
W. F. Keeler	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20
BELLEVILLE DISTRICT—NO. 4.										
Ben Newton	21	22	23	24	25	26	27	28	29	30
S. Woodard	31									
FORSYTH DISTRICT—NO. 5.										
J. L. Barton	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
W. R. Cobb	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20
ALLIANCE DISTRICT—NO. 6.										
W. S. McElroy	21	22	23	24	25	26	27	28	29	30
James Miller	31									
BAKERSVILLE DISTRICT—NO. 7.										
A. B. Bennett	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
John P. Cooper	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20
COLUMBIA DISTRICT—NO. 8.										
Melvin Taylor	21	22	23	24	25	26	27	28	29	30
Samuel Austin	31									
HARTFORD DISTRICT—NO. 9.										
John M. Leach	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
T. L. Allen	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20
BELLEVILLE DISTRICT—NO. 10.										
John A. Bennett	21	22	23	24	25	26	27	28	29	30
R. G. Welling	31									
CLARK DISTRICT—NO. 11.										
J. B. Tate	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
W. H. Cummins	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20

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 W. W. Ewell, Boone.
 COOL SPRINGS DISTRICT—NO. 2.
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 CENTREVILLE DISTRICT—NO. 3.
 J. M. Cassberry, Corvallis.
 BELLEVILLE DISTRICT—NO. 4.
 E. C. Calkins, Buford.
 FORTYVILLE DISTRICT—NO. 5.
 J. A. Harder, Fortville.
 ALLIANCE DISTRICT—NO. 6.
 V. A. Hart.
 BAKERSVILLE DISTRICT—NO. 7.
 W. L. Madison, Beaver Dam.
 COLUMBIA DISTRICT—NO. 8.
 R. S. Hodges, Cincinnati.
 HARTFORD DISTRICT—NO. 9.
 G. H. Allen, Hartford.
 BELLEVILLE DISTRICT—NO. 10.
 V. A. Hart.
 CLARK DISTRICT—NO. 11.
 V. A. Hart.

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Hartford—F. P. Morgan, Judge, second Monday in January, April, July and October.
 Charles Griffin, Marshal.
 Beaver Dam—E. W. Cooper, Judge, first Saturday in January, April, July and October.
 Thomas Reeves, Marshal.
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 Jas. W. Daniel, Marshal.
 Corvallis—W. D. Barnard, Judge, last Saturday in March, June, September and December.
 Daniel Tice, Marshal.
 Hamilton—J. W. Lankford, Judge, post-office address Mollney, courts held third Wednesday in January, April, July and October.
 A. J. Carman, Marshal, post-office address Mollney.
 Rockport—James Tinsley, Judge, Mansfield Williams, Marshal. Courts held first Wednesday in January, April, July and October.

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A. Y. M.

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 Meets third Monday night in each month.
 W. H. MOORE, W. M.
 Secy.

R. A. M.

KEYSTONE CHAPTER, NO. 110.
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 Comp. H. WEINHEIMER, Sec.

I. O. O. F.

HARTFORD LODGE NO. 158.
 Meets in Taylor Hall, in Hartford, Ky., on the second and fourth Saturday evenings in each month. The fraternity are cordially invited to visit us on convenient for them to do so.
 L. BARNETT, N. G., W. P. PHIPPS, Sec.
 R. P. BERRYMAN, D. D. G. M.

I. O. G. T.

HARTFORD LODGE NO. 12.
 Meets in Taylor Hall, Hartford, Ky., every Thursday evening. A cordial invitation is extended to members of the Order to visit us, and all such will be made welcome.
 R. P. BERRYMAN, W. C. T.
 Mrs. ANNIE BERRYMAN, W. Sec.
 G. B. WILLIAMS, L. D.

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MODOC'S ADVICE.

Competition is now so strong. The farmers can not get along without their county paper. One and a half the whole year round. Not much of course—Dust waiver—The Herald is a spicy sheet. And always looks as clean and neat. Don't let the children tear it. Peruse it well—Then it will say. And tell your neighbor 'twer the way And send him to John Barrett. Friend John will take his name right down And arm him all around the town. He's such a jolly brother, one and a half he says so much. I'll send the Herald every week to you or any other. Then walk up boys, and you will find That if you would not be behind, Take the Herald—You should do it. Advertise and pay the bill. It makes the printer feel as well. My word you'll never rue it. Bureau, March 27.

An Interesting Letter From Litchfield.

LITCHFIELD, KY., Mar. 24, 1877.
 Editor Herald.

Having recently spent several weeks traveling in the State of Texas, and believing that your many readers would be interested in reading a short sketch of my observations of the "Lone Star State," her natural resources, the manner and customs of her people, I write you this letter for publication which you can use if you think worthy a place in its columns. Austin, the capital, is one of the most delightful cities in the United States, a full description of which I may give your readers at some future time. Here we met with several Kentuckians prospecting the State whom we were delighted to see. We were also introduced to Mrs. Lee R. Shryock a Kentucky lady of culture and refinement, and a sister to Gen. John S. Williams, whose kindness we shall ever cherish with pleasant recollection of the past. From Austin, we took the Central Railroad for

HOUSTON, which is the great railroad center of the State. The city presents a somewhat old appearance, but business of all kinds seemed to be in a flourishing condition.

After visiting the Cotton Exchange and several other places of interest, we took the International and Great Northern Railroad for

CRICKET.

This is a thriving and flourishing little town of about two thousand inhabitants, and derived its name from the famous Davy Crockett, who camped six weeks at this place while on his way to the Alamo, where he fell in defense of Texas liberty. Here we enjoyed the hospitality of Col. Bracken and family, where we remained several days. From Crockett we next visited Palestine which is the headquarters of the International and Great Northern Railroad, and contains a population of about five thousand. This road is offering every inducement to parties seeking homes in Texas; and in this connection we wish to add that they have built an Emigrant Home for the benefit and comfort of the emigrants until they can make suitable arrangements for future homes. This Home is under the management of Col. Sam Shock, a clever, genial, gentleman who is ever unceasing in his efforts to add to the pleasure and interest of the emigrants. We visited this Home and found it alive with cheerful emigrants from all parts of the West. We cannot say too much in praise of the management of this home, more of which we will have to say hereafter.

The International and Great Northern passes through the finest timbered portion of the State, and many fine farms are to be seen upon the line, in a high state of cultivation. Gen. Hoxie, the President, and Col. Hayes, the Vice President of the road have offices at this place, and are always ready to extend the courtesies of their line to parties seeking information in regard to the resources of the State with the view of locating within her borders.

From Palestine we went to Hearne, situated at the crossing of the International and Great Northern and the Texas Central Railroads. Thence we passed into Northern Texas, visiting Dallas, Sherman and Denison, which are all thriving cities situated in a rich and fertile country. We traveled from Fort Worth, West into several counties upon the line of the proposed Southern Pacific which we found to be as beautiful farming and grazing country as we ever saw, the lands of which can be obtained at very low rates. The Texas Central Railroad passes directly through the center of the State from Houston to Denison, and runs through as fertile a country as is to be found anywhere in the State. Col. John Durand, the Superintendent of the road, extends every facility to parties endeavoring to locate colonies upon the line of his road.

From North-western Texas we again returned to Austin, from which point we visited Southern Texas a full description of which we will give in our next letter. The State of Texas is six times as large as Kentucky, and were the forty millions of people in the United States settled within her borders, it would not be as densely populated as the State of Mass. There are homes here for millions, and her rich lands but await development to place her among the first States of the Union in wealth and prosperity. It has been suggested by some, that ere long the

State would be divided, to which Mrs. Hamlett in her poems thus touchingly alludes.

Divide the State! Who dare suggest
 Such act of sacrilege?
 Bought with a price, it is our own;
 And shall we read in twain
 What was cemented into one,
 By blood of heroes slain.

Say for which portion Crockett fought,
 For which did Travis die?
 For which hath Houston's pleadings bought
 A nation's sympathy.

No North, no South, no East nor West;
 Let this our motto be:
 Our State is one. So let it rest;
 United great and free.

Let one grand center call her sons
 To Legislative halls;
 Let one grand voice, in thunder tones,
 Guard well her "outer walls."

The natural resources of the State are unbounded, and she extends a cordial invitation to the enterprising citizen from all parts of the habitable globe. Her beautiful prairies excite the wonderful imagination of the beholder to such an extent that he is all the while fancy's prisoner. A sunset on the prairie is the loveliest sight we ever beheld; and he is filled with wonder at the sublimity of these gorgeous clouds form a rosy pathway for him to tread, as he walks downward into his bed of flowers and verdure. Around him float airy purple clouds, while beneath are others tinged with the richest vermilion.

[TO BE CONTINUED]

Letter From Buford.

Editor Herald:

Our mercantile law twenty years ago, and now. When Paris was lost, the Bow of the Bourbons was effectively broken; and the attempts of individuals of the family to make a stand against the evil hour was honorable indeed to their own gallantry, but of no advantage to their cause, twenty years ago. When our town thrifty and prosperous country was considered very verdant and rural—when merchants did a legitimate business on the twelve month system, and men's words were equivalent to their notes—hence the money made. When you'd find one store upon an average every fifteen or twenty miles, I say that merchants could then place a very exorbitant price, on all classes of goods with impunity, and the purchaser would from necessity have to stand it or go home destitute of many articles absolutely essential. The merchant, knowing his power, could establish either a cash basis or credit, and force his patron to accept it. But this progressive year, 1877. How changed the scene! Large and attractive stores meet your eye at every cross roads, and village. We have the Eastern market at our door. And now the reverse of "twenty years ago, dear Tom."

We must now notice the modern merchant: A good customer waits upon his merchant—Your goods are too high priced, sir, can't trade, must try the other house—competition is the life of trade, you had us in your financial grasp once. We are even now. The next merchant, in order to secure him as a patron, will offer many inducements, and the customer really gets many of his goods less than cost. Merchants are forced to accept the terms, and as the mercantile law is a profession requiring the most profound thought and calculations, hence we find so many failures and inconsistencies. Miscalculations and bankruptcies in the country. Every man that stands behind the counter, is far from being a merchant, but some seem to husband the idea that all that is necessary to become a successful operator in Nainsook, Bleached goods, &c., is to give him a few hundred dollars and put him behind a box counter—then he is the peer of A. T. Stewart.

To establish a cash basis in the country at this time is fatal to the country merchant that adopts it—unless all merchants become colleagues and make it a positive law—from the patent fact, that the farming community is the main prop and support of the merchant, mechanic, lawyer and doctor, and as such, they command money, as a rule but once a year, hence it is futile to attempt business unless you are financially able to meet competition in every sense of the term. You have a good trade, the money men of the country deal with you. You sell your goods at a reasonable price—when the great staple of the country is disposed of—then the merchant receives his wages. Some contend that he had rather cry over their goods, than cry after them. But I'm of the opinion that this does not meet the demand. If the merchant should have in stock an amount of goods, and utterly refuse to risk a good man for a small amount of goods—it will soon spread with lightning velocity, and the consequence is, that the merchant in question, will certainly have the honor of crying over his goods—the cash system can be appropriately applied in the grocery line in towns, &c. My experience is, that to undertake this step in the country is a farce, and perfectly detrimental to the merchant engaging in it. My reasons are, that, in the first place, is, if I won't extend any credit to the good men of the country my next door neighbor will, and if he extends to the people a credit when they have no money, it is but reason-

able to expect that they will spend their cash there also.

Business very good here. No sickness of consequence; Counterfeiters are active in circulating spurious money of the denomination of ten dollars, on the first National bank of Muncie, Ind. We are informed that the United States marshal and other gentlemen were in hot pursuit of them on the 23rd inst. but they, the counterfeiters made good their escape, though several shots were fired at them, and their chances at that time seemed to be as slim as the chances were with Tam O'Shanty's mare.

We are glad to note that William Ellis, who was reported dead from the unfortunate explosion of a steam mill, near Masonville, Daviess county, is now nearly recovered.

Deputy Sheriff Geo. Banger, spent a day in town a short time since. Glad to see you, George, come again.

Miss Townsend, of your town is now engaged in teaching near this place, and all seem to be well pleased.

Dry goods houses will change hands occasionally; but, I suppose, its all for fun, and to give general notoriety to different localities.

Messrs Ford & Lile, of Pleasant Ridge, have dissolved co-partnership, Mr. Ford buying Mr. Lile's interest.

Whose the next lucky man? Messrs. Mangan & Hewlett, of this city, are doing a splendid business. Much success to you gentlemen.

Messrs Holbrook & Rogers are doing very well.

Messrs Crow & Son, Newville, Ky., (Kigels old Stand), are selling a great many goods, and Mr. N. M. Russell, of that place, states that he has sold more plows up to this date, than he ever sold before on so short a time; while Mr. Forrester, another smith, states in substance the same. That certainly indicates business with the farming class.

Our old friend, of this place, says that he is a candidate for jailer of Ohio county, and intends to run it through. I allude to Mr. E. L. Sullenger. Mr. S. is too well known throughout the county to need any comment. Mr. Sullenger will make a good race, a big race, and a strong race. Ras is forked lightning on a home stretch. The citizens of the county could not place upon the track for the office of jailer a more perfect gentleman than E. L. Sullenger. Let's all give the boy a chance in August 1878.

I notice the name of Capt. Sam Hill as a candidate for the Senate; hope the Captain will make the race, as success would certainly crown his efforts. Capt. come out and declare yourself, and we will keep the gaps up down this way.

We can have a race in Ohio, if Hayes is President. We are of the opinion down here that the Editor of the Hartford Herald would be an acceptable candidate with us for the Legislature. Come out friend John, and we will give you our hearty support.

We are informed that another steam mill explosion occurred opposite Owensboro, on the Indiana shore, killing five men. Men certainly should be warned by such frequent accidents, and be more careful in the future. More anon, Buford, Ky., March 27, Modoc.

Ohio County Convention I. O. G. T.

The Ohio County Convention I. O. G. T. met with Clarke's Lodge No. 958, on Friday, Feb. 23, 1877.

Meeting was called to order by J. S. Parke, W. Secretary, the president being absent.

George Roberts was elected President pro tem. The following committees were appointed: H. T. Ford, H. C. Edmondson and J. J. Midkiff, Committee on Credentials. George W. Brite, M. Crahan and Morris Wilson, Committee on Arrangements. R. T. Truman, H. C. Edmondson and J. J. Midkiff, Committee on State of the Order. Morris Wilson, H. T. Ford and R. T. Truman, Committee on Resolutions.

Election of officers. For President, George Roberts, J. S. Parke and H. C. Edmondson were nominated. Vote taken and J. S. Parke declared elected. For Vice-President, Barbara Abner, Amanda Roberts and George Roberts were nominated. Vote taken and Barbara Abner declared elected. For Secretary, Morris Wilson, M. Graham and J. J. Midkiff were nominated. Vote taken and Morris Wilson declared elected.

The Committee on Arrangements made the following report: We, the Committee on Arrangements, agree that we adjourn this p. m. at 4 o'clock, to meet again at 8:30; adjourn at 11, to meet again at 1:30; adjourn at 4, to meet again in the degrees at 5:30, to adjourn in regular form.

M. Crahan, }
 Morris Wilson, } Com
 Geo. W. Brite, }

Motion made and seconded to receive the report and discharge the committee. Motion carried. Motion made and seconded to dispense with the reading of the Minutes of last Convention until tomorrow's session. Motion carried.

The hour having arrived to adjourn, the Convention closed in due form and adjourned to meet to-morrow, Feb. 24, at 8:30.

Second day's session, Saturday, Feb. 24. Meeting called to order by the Pres-

ident. The Convention opened in the subordinate degree. The minutes of last meeting were read and approved.

Communications from Lodges were called for and received from the following: Newton Lodge, Clarke's Lodge, Mt. Pleasant Lodge and Hartford Lodge.

The Committee on Resolutions submitted the following report: We, the Committee on Resolutions, beg leave to report the following:

Whereas, It hath pleased an All-wise Providence to assemble us in convention, be it, therefore,

Resolved—1st. That we endorse the selection of a County Deputy, whose duty shall be to visit all Lodges in the county, and encourage a hearty co-operation in the work of Good Templars, and visit Lodges that have ceased to work, and endeavor to re-organize them.

Resolved—2nd. That we recommend that each subordinate Lodge appoint a lecturer in their midst, to deliver public addresses at such times and places in their respective neighborhoods as are most convenient.

Resolved—3d. That the thanks of the Convention are heartily extended to the President and other officers of the Convention for a faithful discharge of their respective duties.

Resolved—4th. That a copy of the proceedings of this convention be sent to the Hartford Herald and Good Templars Advocate for publication.

Submitted in F. H. and C. Morris Wilson, }
 H. T. Ford, } Com
 R. T. Truman, }

Motion made and seconded to receive the report and discharge the committee. Motion carried.

The Committee on Credentials reported as follows: We, the Committee on Credentials, make the following report: Four Lodges represented in County Convention—Hartford Lodge No. 12, represented by B. P. Berryman, Mt. Pleasant Lodge No. 887, represented by J. S. Parke, H. C. Edmondson, Martin Crahan and Miss Barbara Abner; Clarke's Lodge No. 958, represented by G. W. Roberts, E. H. Cooper, H. T. Ford, J. J. Midkiff and I. L. Roberts. Newton Lodge No. 410, represented by Miss Fannie Newton, Miss Fannie Richerson, Bud Allen and W. D. Cundiff.

H. C. Edmondson, }
 J. J. Midkiff, } Com
 H. T. Ford, }

Motion made and seconded to receive the report and discharge the committee. Motion carried.

At this point brother Thomas Moorman, of Goshen Lodge, Breckenridge Co., Ky., was called to the floor, and he delivered quite an elaborate address. Motion made and seconded to amend the report of the Committee on Arrangements, so as to continue the present session until 2 o'clock, p. m., before adjourning, and meet at night to hear brother Demare lecture. Motion carried.

Recess was then taken for ten minutes, during which time brother Demare, member of the Grand Lodge, presented the Good Templars Advocate to the Convention for its circulation.

The convention was again called to order by the President at 11:10, and the Committee on State of the Order reported as follows: We, the Committee on State of the Order, beg leave to report the following: There are four Lodges represented in the Convention—Newton Lodge No. 410, reports fifty three members in good standing; Hartford Lodge No. 12, reports forty members in good standing; Mount Pleasant Lodge No. 887, reports fifty two members in good standing; Clarke's Lodge No. 958, reports fifty members in good standing. Total number reported, one hundred and ninety five.

H. C. Edmondson, }
 J. J. Midkiff, } Com
 R. T. Truman, }

Motion made and seconded to receive the report and discharge the committee. Motion carried.

Unfinished business called for—none mentioned. New business called for—none mentioned.

The place for holding the next meeting of the Convention was next in order. Hartford Lodge was the only place put before the house, and by vote was declared the place for the next convention.

Suggestions for the good of the Order were next called for. Suggested by Bro Demare that the President appoint two brothers to prepare speeches and two sisters to write essays for the next Convention. In accordance with the above suggestion, the President appointed sister Fannie Newton and brother Allen, of Newton Lodge; brother Berryman, of Hartford Lodge; sister Amanda Roberts and brother J. J. Midkiff, of Clark Lodge. After which, some very interesting and instructive addresses were delivered before the adjournment of the Convention by brother Demare, Midkiff, Berryman, Roberts and Moorman, all of which were quite encouraging to the cause of Temperance.

The hour of adjournment having arrived, and the work of the present session of the Convention having been completed, the Convention adjourned in due form, to meet with Hartford Lodge No. 12, on Friday and Saturday, May 25th and 26th, 1877.

THE HERALD.

JNO. P. BARRETT, Editor.

WEDNESDAY, APRIL 4, 1877.

Notice to Correspondents.

We reserve the right to strike from any communication whatever we may think proper. Persons need not be offended if we do not publish just what they write in the manner written. It frequently happens that for want of space and time, some portion of a letter is left out; and again, for other reasons, we may think it better to cut, slash and destroy. Some may be received too late for the purpose for which they are intended, and others may not be what we want. So our friends need not think we treat them unkindly in anything we do about the matter.

We solicit correspondence and all items of news which, if published or not is left to the editor. Write plainly and only on one side of the paper. The name of the writer must be given, not for publication unless desired, but as a means of information to us. Remember that a writer is responsible for what he says.

THREE more of Packard's legislators have gone over to the Nicholls Legislature.

THE Galt House Company of Louisville, have gone into voluntarily bankruptcy. The House will still remain open for guests.

GOVERNOR HAMPTON visited Washington last week and along the whole line of travel the people made a grand ovation to him.

LITTLE Rhody holds her State election today. Of course she will endorse that little theft of the presidential chair by the Republicans.

W. D. COLEMAN is announced in this issue of the paper as a candidate for Legislative honors. Mr. Coleman is an upright, honest, enterprising citizen, and stands fair with all those who know him. His claims merit fair consideration.

THE Court of Appeals has decided that the over issue of bonds by the Daviess County Court, in aid of the Owensboro and Russellville Railroad, is not valid and collectable, and has affirmed the judgment of the lower court enjoining their collection.

WE learn from the phlebotomist, which we had not noticed, that Hon. D. L. Adair, of Hawesville, is a candidate for senate from his district, composed of Breckenridge, Hancock and Grayson counties. He is a worthy gentleman, and deserves a liberal support.

ALL the Circuit Judges in the State of South Carolina are Republicans and the last one of them have decided and pronounced Wade Hampton the legal Governor of the State and yet the troops occupy the State House by the consent of Hayes' administration.

THE following gentlemen have been elected as the Louisiana Legislature, Judge Charles Lawrence of Illinois, Ex-Governor J. C. Brown of Tennessee, Gen. Joseph R. Hawley of Connecticut, Gen. John M. Harlan of Kentucky, Wayne McVeigh of Pennsylvania.

They have more dam trouble up in New England than in all the balance of North America.

The dam at Staffordville reservoir, Connecticut, gave way on 27th ult., flooding the country for miles and miles and destroying many manufactures. Loss estimated at \$1,000,000.

A man quietly walked into the Indiana National Bank, Indianapolis, one day last week, carrying with him a box. He carefully set it down on the floor, reached over the iron railing, picked up \$25,000 and went out and made his escape, and has not since been heard of. This about noon in a city of 150,000 souls, on one of the principal streets, is a little remarkable. A reward of \$5,000 was offered for his capture.

CAPT. S. E. HILL announced himself Monday as a candidate for the Senate. His card is also in this issue of the paper. Capt. Hill embodies all the elements of a gentleman, a good lawyer, a sound Democrat and has qualifications that peculiarly fit him for the position to which he aspires and will no doubt convince the people of that fact (if they are not already aware of it) before the first Monday in August 1877, and be triumphantly elected.

BRIAN YOUNG and those high in authority at the time, should be arrested and tried for planning and ordering the Mountain Meadows massacre. Justice is not meted out by the execution of John D. Lee, who was only the agent of those who planned the massacre. Go up higher and get the principals as well as the agent is what we are for, and it will be a stain upon our country if those bold bad men are not brought to justice for their connection with this foul crime.

GLORIOUS NEWS.

Hayes Right One Time.

He has ordered the withdrawal of the troops from the State House of South Carolina, and will let the people "enjoy the inestimable blessings of local self government." Now, South Carolina will come to the front as one of the leading States in the South.

Here is a fair specimen of Radical Carpet-bag taxation:

Some heavy figures are encountered in considering the debt of New Orleans. From 1865 to 1875 the people of the "Crescent City" paid taxes to the amount of \$50,457,972. Besides this, a debt of \$15,287,915 was contracted. The Municipal expenses, then, for only ten years, is set down at the enormous sum of \$65,745,887. This is an average of \$9,574,588 a year. When the State tax of the city for the same period is calculated and added to the city tax, it is found that for ten years of misrule in municipal and State governments, the people of New Orleans paid the fabulous sum of \$109,734,709 in taxes. This is nearly \$11,000,000 a year.

Beaver Dam Items.

BEAVER DAM, April 2, 1877.
Business has been quite lively for a week past in more respects than one.

Mr. L. T. Barnett and Miss Alice Austin were united in the bonds of matrimony at the residence of the bride's father, by Rev. A. B. Smith, on Thursday, March 29, 77. All of this place. Quite a crowd of relatives and friends were present. Many the handsome couple ever look as charming as on the day of their marriage, and their passage through life be never dimmed, but their love grow stronger day by day.

Mr. W. T. Miller and Mrs. Emma Basden, were married by Rev. G. J. Bean at Goschen Church, Sunday morning April 1st. May their lives prove to be happy and their love crowned with many joys.

Mrs. Emma Ricketts, wife of W. T. Ricketts, departed this life at her residence, Sunday morning, April 1st. The deceased was a lady who stood high in the church and in the estimation of all who knew her. She had lingered for many months, and died leaving many to mourn her loss.

Dr. J. S. Coleman will preach at Beaver Dam church on the 5th Saturday and Sunday in this month—on Sunday he will administer the ordinance of baptism to several.

Merchants in all branches, are doing good business.
But little coal has been shipped from the mines near here for several weeks but will commence large shipments. The price for digging has been reduced from three to two and a half cents per bushel.

Maggie, a little daughter of H. S. Midkiff while at play a few days since, had two fingers cut entirely off with a hatchet; she is rapidly improving.

Mr. Samuel Sowers shipped a lot of fine hogs and cattle this morning.
If some one does not announce as candidate for the Legislature soon, maybe John P. Barrett had better put his claim in. Hill and Barrett would do pretty well.

The general report is, that oats are looking well. It is the belief of fruit men that all the peaches have been killed, but that apples are still unimpaired. The recent rain has kept the ground too wet for much to be done in the agricultural line.

Cromwell Notes.

Editor Herald:
As you are constantly receiving communications from the little burgs throughout the county, I thought that a few jottings from Cromwell might not be thrown into the waste basket with other unlucky communications.

Cromwell, considering its size, stands unrivaled in the amount of business transacted therein.

We have three dry good stores, two family groceries, two drug stores and two saloons where partakers of ardent spirits can revel in the unequalled excitement produced by intoxication. The business men of this place are affable and polite, and as good bargains can be had here as any place in the county. We have an excellent school conducted by La Vega Paxton, whose reputation as teacher, is on the increase. We must not omit to mention the blacksmith shop, where cunning things are wrought in iron and steel, nor Mr. Paxton's mill, which always makes good "turn outs."

We have good musicians, Miss Wile's piano music is positively excellent.

Farmers in this vicinity are very busy preparing for the ensuing crops. Wheat looks fine, oats are peeping through their earthy covering. Tobacco is ranging from four to six dollars per hundred.

I see you put Capt. Sam E. Hill in nomination for the Senate. Mr. Hill is a nice man and worthy of the place, but every man has his preference, as you will know, therefore I will call on Capt. David Poole, of Rochester, for Senate, and Dr. Virgil Taylor, for legislature, to come forth. I do not mention those gentlemen as a single individual preference, but I am justified in doing so, by the wishes of a large body of voters. These men need no eulogy from my feeble pen, their popularity and worth speak more eloquently for them than I could. Capt. Poole only missed a seat in the Legislature by three votes in the last election, and if he had had time to make a thorough canvass, his election would have been insured. Dr. Taylor is a sterling physician, and universally popular.

Let us have another Taylor in the Legislature. There are plenty of Taylors in the county with their kin to elect the doctor. Let's run him and elect him, not because he is a Taylor, but because he is worthy.

Island Station.

Farmers are very busy now. Hard times seem to increase their energy and determination.

J. W. Eaton & Co. add very much to the liveliness and material prosperity of our neighborhood, by the generous and sagacious manner in which they conduct their business. They not only sell the farmer all he wishes to buy, but buy from him all he wishes to sell.

That Progress man was right about the Calhoun girls. One of our old bachelors who had made many fruitless efforts to get a wife, profited by the late hint in the Herald, went to Calhoun and "got took in immediately." His neighbors and numerous friends were invited to one of the most enjoyable scenes on the occasion of the introduction of the accomplished bride to her new home, that has been witnessed about here for a long time. Long life and much happiness to Mr. Nall and his beautiful bride.

All the men in this neighborhood who had any inclinations towards matrimony are now married, except Mr. J. W. Eaton and Clark Bryant, and their cases are not utterly hopeless.

Centertown Items.

CENTERTOWN, Ky., April 3, 1877.
Editor Herald:

In looking over your valuable paper, I see no account of the Walton's Creek Exhibition, which was indeed a success and worthy of your notice. It came off on Thursday and Friday nights, 22nd and 23rd of March, and I must say surpassed anything of the kind I ever attended—though none of the actors surpassed Booth; but some of the actresses, with a little more practice, would come up with Maggie Mitchell. I regret very much I haven't time to give a full description, but will say without hesitating it cannot be surpassed in Ohio county.

The marriage of J. R. Hunter to Miss Gabe Hawkins was witnessed at the residence of the bride's father, on Sunday, 25, 1877. Mr. Hunter is a young man of irresistible moral character, while Miss Gabe, his wife, is an accomplished and very intelligent young lady, worthy of the love and admiration of her husband. We wish them a bright future.

Your correspondent wants to know his friend E. J. Rowe's legal opinion of the constitutionality of the Ten Commandments. Bro. Rowe, spit her out. A. J.

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General Local News.

WEDNESDAY, APRIL 4, 1877.

The sailing vessel, "Go Slow," made a trial trip from Point of Woods on the lower Rough to the Dam on the upper river, on last Sunday. She passed the city in the unprecedented time of two hours and fifty-nine minutes and thirty seconds. Capt. House walked the deck with the freedom of conscious authority, while Bob Hardwick had his hands full as sailing master. Henry McHenry, Jr., managed the vessel admirably as pilot; the Judge as purser, and the City Marshal to keep order, manage the nautical instruments and look after the safety of the passengers, with a paragraphist to take notes. (and we are sorry to say nothing of a national character passed under our optical vision) constituted the crew and entire outfit. The cruise was a success, so far as it went.

Oranges, Lemons, Bananas, Dates, Figs and Apples at E. T. Williams' Clothing extra cheap at I. ROSENBERG & BRO.

The Lyons House is doing a splendid business, and is full to overflowing with guests attending court. It is deservedly a popular house. Try it.

E. Small of the Trade Palace takes the lead in good goods and low prices.

Our readers will find it to their interest to read the fine double advertisement of I. P. Barnard, of Beaver Dam, in this issue. Mr. Barnard has justly earned his title of "Prince of Merchants" by his untiring energy, fair dealing and low prices. He has built up a business of unexampled proportions, and is the inclination to sell at prices unprecedented in this country.

Remember well and bear in mind that the nicest goods of every kind can always be found at E. SMALL'S. A few more for sale on commission at J. F. YAGER'S.

J. F. Yager is still prepared to do plowing 15 per cent. off of Louisville price list on Doors and Windows, by F. M. Joplin & Brother.

We have seen many fine jobs of the plastic art, but nothing to compare with the beautiful workmanship displayed at the residence of Mr. Dan. Tracy, of this place. The walls are as firm and polished as marble, and the stucco work encircling the ceilings of the richest design, displaying an artistic genius rarely met with outside the large cities. This triumph is the work of Mr. El. St. Clair, who is a thorough master of his trade.

Bacon and Lard at E. T. WILLIAMS'. Just received a fine lot of Ladies' Hats at I. ROSENBERG & BRO.

Ves. Edwards is still engaged at selling the nicest and best goods of the season. He only wants a fair price for them.

J. F. Yager will sell or purchase a Horse, Buggy, Wagon or any other animal or article, for a small commission.

250 Doors, 300 Windows, 50,000 feet of flooring, and all kinds of finishing pine and poplar Lumber for sale, by F. M. Joplin & Brother, at 15 per cent. less than Louisville prices.

Uncle Warren Griffin left last Saturday for his home in Elizabethtown. The "boys" in the Herald office anticipate something nice on Uncle Warren's return. They wish him a safe and speedy trip, and his benign countenance will be welcomed with joy when he shall again enter the office with all the good things signified by the compositors for their bodily comfort.

"I wish I was dead," is an expression not unfrequently used by the dyspeptic and sufferer from Liver disease; the depressed spirits unfitting the mind for anything, and almost driving him to despair. Be of good cheer; there is life and health for you yet. Take Simmons' Liver Regulator. It regulates the Liver, dispels drowsiness and restores health.

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D. F. Tracy wishes it known that he is devoting his whole time and energy to his trade and is always to be found at his shop, ready to do any kind of work in his line.

Money sent us by mail unless registered, is always at the risk of the sender. Remittances made by bank check, post-office order, or registered letter will be at our risk.

A New Fair Company.

The grounds of the Fair Company were sold under execution for debt some time ago, and the purchasers met together last Saturday night to arrange for a reorganization, and H. D. McHenry was chosen Chairman, and A. T. Nall, Secretary. The following resolution was adopted: Resolved—That the Secretary of this meeting be instructed to give notice by publication in the "HARTFORD HERALD," and by notice posted at the Court House door, that the owners of the Ohio Co. A. & M. Society's grounds invite the people of Ohio county to a public meeting at the Court House, on the 16th of April, 1877, for the purpose of organizing a new company.

A. T. NALL, H. D. McHENRY, Secretary. President.

The Scriptural injunction is, to "let your light shine." Ves. Edwards believes in obeying this injunction, and has fitted up a nice lamp on the corner near his grocery.

Joplin & Bro., at Elizabethtown, guarantee to sell Doors, sash, and Lumber such as used for House finishing, at 10 per cent. less than any market in Kentucky.

For standard School Books, plain and fancy writing paper and envelopes, best quality of inks, best blank books, best pens and everything in the stationery line, call at Z. WAYNE GRIFFIN'S.

If you have but little money, and want it to go a long ways, call on E. SMALL.

The Grand Jury. The following gentlemen compose the Grand Jury of the Criminal Court for the present term: V. D. D. Stevens, C. Schuppier, Thomas A. Stewart, Wm. M. Hunter, I. H. Baker, L. H. Rains, E. F. Smith, Albert May, P. Ross, W. H. Taylor, F. W. Acton, D. A. Barnes, A. G. Brown, V. B. Morgan, A. E. Kirk, and Samuel Greer.

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Go to E. T. WILLIAMS' and get you a good Pocket Knife.

Miss Loga Walker has gone to Elizabethtown to spend a week among friends. We wish her all the pleasure imaginable and a safe return.

Miss Nettie Miller left on last Monday for Rockport, Ky., to teach a school. The citizens of that place will find Miss Nettie an agreeable and accomplished lady, capable of performing the responsible task she has undertaken. We wish her success.

Miss Nellie Taylor has also left town. She started on Sunday so as to be in Goshen neighborhood to commence her school on Monday last. Miss Nellie is a successful instructress, and the people of that district have done well to secure her services.

Boy Your New Spring Suit At the Head Quarters for goods for Men's Wear. The old established Clothing House of J. Winter & Co. is in the field again this season with a larger and more choice stock of Clothing than ever before presented. Prices are reduced, and everything first class. Give them a call.

A local freight train, with a passenger car attached, was thrown from the track down an embankment near Worthington, Ind., last Friday, killing and wounding about thirteen persons, mostly citizens of that locality.

F. M. Joplin & Bro., Elizabethtown, Ky., dealers in Lumber, Laths, Doors, Sash, Blinds and all kinds of Building Materials, also all kinds of Farming implements, such as Reapers, Mowers, Thrashers, Plows, Grain Drills, &c. Send for prices.

'Squire "Jack" Yates enlivened the Herald office on last Monday evening by his presence. Our special artist presented him with a specimen of his artistic skill, which the 'Squire pronounced first class.

We are grieved to learn of the serious illness of Judge Lawton, who is lying very low with pneumonia fever.

Lycurgus Barrett of the Herald is very sick at his room at the hotel. We hope he will soon be at his post again.

E. T. Williams sells better and cheaper goods than you can possibly buy at a bankrupt sale.

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Fate Warning.

I have employed Mr. A. C. Ellis to collect my accounts, and if those who are owing me don't call and pay me Mr. Ellis will be apt to call upon them. I must have the money due me, and if you will not pay voluntarily I will be compelled to resort to coercion. Respectfully, Z. WAYNE GRIFFIN.

Do not let the policy of the new administration absorb your attention to such an extent as to cause you to forget that W. L. Rowe has on hand the largest, cheapest and best assorted stock of groceries in Ohio county.

From Beaver Dam.

BEAVER DAM, MAR. 31, 1877. Editor Herald. I found the following letter verbatim at circulation, in the road yesterday and send it to you for publication as a model love letter. I omit the name of the writer and to whom addressed, in copying it.

A FRIEND TO THE HERALD. Mrs.—I look last saturday tell me how you feel in van you dont no how sorry i was that you didnt com this evening i am left a lone by myself if you note the love i hav for you you wood ancer my question i woodnt flatter you for no a mount i lov you i cant helpit anser my question and it will be all rite dont put it off enny longer give me some ancer but dont say no say yes i dont want to hurt your feelings but ancer my question i lov you still you is my harts delight if you dont lov mee i will lov you you need not to be onsey my wood is tru as god is in heven.

Latest novelties in Ladies' Hats, at E. SMALL'S.

Mr. Stephen Ashby made a flying trip home to see his friends on last Friday, and returned to his studies on Monday.

Capt. Wm. Moore, Jim. Tom. Moore Sid. Kirby, V. Renfro have returned from Evansville, where they have been with a lot of saw-logs. Capt. Moore's logs brought him the snug little sum of \$3,000.

W. T. Johnson has leased the Woolen Factory at the Water Mills and proposes to card, spin, and weave for the wool owners of Ohio county. He guarantees satisfaction. Give him a trial.

Rev. W. P. Bennett preached at the Methodist church last Saturday night, Sunday and Sunday night. The Baptist church here were fortunate in securing Dr. Bennett as their pastor.

J. Milton Woodward, aged seventy years, died last Saturday. It is said that the good die young, but this is one exception to the rule at least, for deceased was one of the best men in the country.

The Hartford Woolen Mills are in splendid condition, and under the management of experienced workmen, and you can rest assured that wool carding, spinning or weaving executed by them will be done exactly right.

The following gentlemen were enrolled as Petit Jurors for the present term of Court: John T. Smith, Obed Liles, W. O. Holbrook, Virgil Renfro, Warren Taylor, Sanford Tichenor, J. W. Shultz, J. N. Sanderfer, W. A. Foreman, Rich and Ward, S. L. Baird, George Furgerson, Henry Ashby, Samuel French, J. H. Nave, Thos. Hendricks, Milton Taylor, Thos. Felix, Art. Pirle, Lafayette Sublett, P. D. Taylor, T. H. Boswell, R. B. Thomson, and J. W. Barnett.

Mr. E. F. Tilford, of Rosine, will be off for a tour through Texas next Monday. He will, if he likes the country, locate there. We shall have very much to give him up as a citizen of our country, as he is a useful, honorable citizen, and we need all such to stay with us.

Don't be backward in coming forward and improving the opportunity of getting such nice Spring Goods, cheap, at HARDWICK & NALLS.

Mr. Geo. M. Rowe and wife, of Centertown, called to see the sights in the Herald office last Thursday. They are warm friends of the "HERALD" and are always welcome in our Sanctum.

Criminal Court began Monday, Judge Murray presiding. A large number of people were in attendance. The Commonwealth's Attorney not having arrived County Attorney J. P. Sanderfer was appointed to look after the Commonwealth's interest, until Major Hayercraft comes.

We learn that Mrs. Cummins, wife of Shelton Cummins, died at Cromwell last Thursday, of that dread disease, consumption. She was interred in Grayson county.

Read our Texas letter in this week's paper, it will well pay a perusal.

Mrs. Lou Collins is spending a few days in Elizabethtown, whither she went last Saturday in company with her father, F. W. Griffin.

Mrs. Atha Cox, of Davies county, is visiting her father, Mr. Wm. Steele, of this place.

Oh, do not be discouraged when you can buy such nice goods at such reasonable prices at Hardwick & Nalls.

Our Buford Indian Chief comes with a genuine scalping letter this week. He just scalped up all the news of his vicinity. Other correspondents please follow suit.

Dr. J. W. Haden, of McHenry, honored us with a call Monday. Doctor reports the health of the people in his locality, better than for some time past.

Prof. W. B. Hayward and wife are in the city. The Professor paid us a visit last Monday.

Hon. O. P. Johnson, Collector of Internal Revenue, Owensboro, Ky., is in town this week.

Read the notice of the Internal Revenue Collector, and govern yourself accordingly. Miss Prudie Baird, returned home on Monday, after a visit to Owensboro of several days.

To-day one hundred and seventy-three years ago, the first newspaper in the U. S., was established. What a change since then.

Counterfeits—Another One Come to Grief.

W. H. Maury, U. S. Deputy Marshal, arrested Ab. Murphy and lodged him in jail here last Friday morning. He is a son of J. Alvin Murphy, who is in jail at Morgantown, an account of which we gave last week. Ab. Murphy is charged with having passed counterfeit money at Caneyville and Spring Lick, in Grayson county, and on parties here in Hartford. John H. Evans was not tried last Friday, as some of the witnesses did not attend. The case will be called up again to-day, when it is probable that young Murphy will have a hearing too. The country has been pretty freely flooded with counterfeit money.

We are authorized to announce Capt. SAM. E. HILL, of Hartford, as a candidate for Senator, from this, the Eight Senatorial District, composed of the counties of Ohio, Muhlenberg and Butler. Election August, 1877.

We are authorized to announce W. D. COLEMAN as a candidate to represent Ohio county in the Lower House of the next Legislature of Kentucky. Election August, 1877.

Col. J. W. Feighan is here winding up his affairs as assignee of W. H. Williams. He brought along with him Mr. Wm. Mitchell, the jolliest auctioneer that ever visited Hartford. The stock of goods are being sold at auction every day and the sale will continue until all the stock is sold.

R. J. Long and Miss Sally Mary Taylor were married in the Clerk's office last Thursday, by the Rev. W. F. Gregory. While he secured a Tay(ylor for a wife, she secured a Long name.

The following is the beautiful ceremony the Rev. Mr. Gregory used: "Join your right hands. Do you take each other for better and for worse?" "Yes!" "Well, then, I pronounce you husband and wife.—Give me chaw tobacco, Sam!"

Mr. W. C. Morton, the prince of grocery men, returned last Saturday from Louisville, where he had been for a few days replenishing his stock of groceries. He is doing a fine trade.

Hon. E. Small, of the Trade Palace, returned home from Louisville last Thursday.

Did you say you wanted some wool carded? Then, by all means, take it to W. T. Johnson, at the Hartford Woolen Mills, and he will do exactly right by you.

The Owensboro Monitor has suspended temporarily, but will be started anew some time soon. It has been one of our most highly valued exchanges, and we will miss its weekly visits very much and hope to soon welcome its coming again.

Hon. D. Howard Smith, Auditor of State, will accept thanks for a copy of his last report.

Lockhart, the one-armed prestidigitator, was with us last Wednesday night. His performance was equal, if not superior to any two-armed Legendeiman performer that we have ever seen. One feature we liked especially was, that not a word or hint at slang or vulgarity was used. Nothing was said that might not be repeated with propriety in the most refined society. Mr. Lockhart made a favorable impression on those of our people who formed his acquaintance.

Patronize home institutions. The Hartford Woolen Mills is one of these institutions that deserves your support.

Yager's livery stable had more than one hundred horses to feed last Monday.

Mr. R. P. Sorrels has secured the services of Mr. F. E. Kimbly to take charge of his grocery, and moved to the country.

The Hartford House had a big run Monday.

Major Hayercraft reached here Monday night, and is looking after the interest of the Commonwealth pretty closely.

If you have produce to barter, call on F. E. Kimbly, at Sorrell's old stand, where you will get the full worth of it in family groceries, at fair prices.

Hayes has started out for reform, and is practicing rigid economy, hence he has ordered all the government clerks and army officers to secure their supplies of F. E. Kimbly, at Sorrell's old stand.

Master Nick Guenther has the nicest, freshest and best apples, nuts and candies for sale at his stand, on Thomas' corner. Give him your patronage.

Louis Guenther desires to say to the public that he has a first-class confectionery under Jas. Thomas' store, and solicits the patronage of his friends and the public generally.

Pat Murphy, of the Livery Stable connected with the Hartford House, is prepared to take care of horses at fair prices.

We buy Doors, Sash, Blinds, and all kinds of building material, direct from manufacturers at Chicago, Ill., and Montgomery, Ala., and can afford to sell cheaper than anybody in Kentucky.

F. M. Joplin & Bro., Elizabethtown, Ky. Subscribe for the Herald Now. On the 18th of April next, we will begin the publication of the history of Ohio county, written by Mr. H. D. Taylor, mention of which was made in our last issue. We will also at the same time, enlarge the HERALD to an eight column paper. We will also, on or before that date, publish our premium list to subscribers for 1877. Now is the accepted time to subscribe. Do this at once and help us in our effort to help the whole county. Do not longer delay making a good investment.

NOTICE.

U. S. INTERNAL REVENUE SPECIAL TAXES.

MAY 1, 1877, TO APRIL 30, 1878.

The revised Statutes of the U. S., Sections 3232, 3237, 3238, and 3239, require every person engaged in any business, avocation or employment which renders him liable to a special tax, to procure and place conspicuously in his establishment or place of business a stamp denoting the payment of said Special Tax for the Special-Tax Year beginning May 1, 1877, before commencing or continuing business after April 30, 1877. A return, as prescribed on Form 11, is also required by law of every person liable to Special Tax as above.

THE TAXES ENRAGED WITHIN THE PROVISIONS OF THE LAW ABOVE QUOTED ARE THE FOLLOWING, VIZ:

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| Rectifiers..... | \$200 00 |
| Dealers, retail liquor..... | 25 00 |
| Dealers, wholesale liquor..... | 100 00 |
| Dealers in malt liquors, wholesale..... | 50 00 |
| Dealers in malt liquors, retail..... | 20 00 |
| Dealers in malt tobacco..... | 25 00 |
| Retail dealers in leaf tobacco..... | 500 00 |
| And on sales of over \$1,000, fifty cents for every dollar in excess of \$1,000. | |
| Dealers in manufactured tobacco..... | 5 00 |
| Manufacturers of stills..... | 50 00 |
| And for each still manufactured..... | 20 00 |
| And for each worm manufactured..... | 20 00 |
| Manufacturers of tobacco..... | 10 00 |
| Manufacturers of cigars..... | 10 00 |
| Peddlers of tobacco, first class—more than two horses or other animals..... | 50 00 |
| Peddlers of tobacco, second class—two horses or other animals..... | 25 00 |
| Peddlers of tobacco, third class—one horse or other animal..... | 15 00 |
| Peddlers of tobacco, fourth class—on foot or public conveyance..... | 10 00 |
| Brewers of less than 500 barrels..... | 50 00 |
| Brewers of 500 barrels or more..... | 100 00 |

Any person, so liable, who shall fail to comply with the requirements will be subject to severe penalties.

Persons or Firms liable to pay any of the Special Taxes named above must apply to O. P. JOHNSON, Collector of Internal Revenue, at Owensboro, Ky., and pay for and procure the Special-Tax Stamp or Stamps they need, prior to May 1, 1877, and without further notice.

Special-Tax Stamps will be transmitted by mail only on receipt, from the person or firm ordering the same, of specific directions as to, together with the necessary postage stamps, or the amount required by the postage. The postage on one stamp is three cents and on two stamps six cents. If it is desired that they be transmitted by registered mail ten cents additional should accompany the application. GREEN B. RAUM, Commissioner of Internal Revenue, Washington, D. C., January 23, 1877.

DON'T

Send off for Wall Paper, when you can get choice of over five hundred different designs and samples at home at a less cost than you would have to pay abroad, and save freight besides. Having made arrangements with Boston Manufacturers at such figures, I can defy competition in this line. 2,000 will buy enough Paper to Paper nicely a medium sized room. Window Shades with fixtures, Picture Corde &c., kept in Stock. Prices guaranteed to suit. Many thanks to those who have kindly favored me with their orders, hoping others will make home equally as attractive by so doing as the spring opens. Respectfully, J. W. FORN.

ESTRAYED.

Black and white spotted sow nine months old, marked crop and split in the left and an under bit and two split in the right ear, weight about one hundred pounds. Information gladly received. Wm. ADAMSON, Hartford Ohio County, Ky.

ESTRAYED.

Taken up as a stray, by George R. Mercer, living four miles East of Louisville, and in Ohio county, one Sow, apparently about four years old, black and white spotted, marked with a crop of both ears, as over bit in each and an upper cross mark in the right, and valued at seven dollars. Also five shoats, pigs of said sow, weighing about forty-five pounds each, one of them black and white spotted, the others white—all unmarked. One has been castrated, another is uncastrated, and the others unspayed sows; said pigs valued at two dollars and a half apiece. Given under my hand this 24th February, 1877. CECIL S. McLELLON, J. P. O. C. v3n10-1t

BIG BONANZA.

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Warranting Every Machine for 3 Years. IT IS THE LIGHTEST AND EASIEST-RUNNING MACHINE IN THE MARKET. IT IS ALSO, THE MOST ELABORATELY ORNAMENTED AND PRETTIEST MACHINE EVER PRODUCED. WITH ALL THESE ADVANTAGES, IT IS SOLD FROM \$15 TO \$25 LESS THAN OTHER FIRST-CLASS MACHINES.

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One-half of the Tuition will be due at the middle of the session, and the other half at the close. No deduction for absence, except in case of protracted sickness. Students will be received at any time and charged from time of entering. Special attention paid to fitting boys for College. Board can be obtained at from \$2.50 to \$3.00 per week.



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